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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS:OVIP (FORD, GERALD R.)

SUBJECT:PRESIDENT FORD'S VLADIVOSTOK TRIP

REF: MOSCOW 16575

1. PER REFTEL (BEING REPEATED TO TOKYO AND SEOUL) SOVIETS REQUIRE THAT SOVIET ESCORT CREWS BE ON ALL AIRCRAFT FOR FLIGHT TO VLADIVOSTOK. ESCORT CREWS CANNOT BOARD IN SEOUL OR TRANSIT SOUTH KOREA SO AIRCRAFT MUST STOP IN TOKYO OR OTHER JAPANESE AIRPORT ENROUTE FROM SEOUL TO VLADIVOSTOK TO PRE-ADVANCE.

2. DEPARTMENT HAS INFORMED JAPANESE EMBASSY HERE OF THIS REQUIREMENT AND IT FORESEES NO PROBLEM. EMBASSY TOKYO SHOULD INFORM FOREIGN MINISTRY AND WORK OUT APPROPRIATE ARRANGEMENTS. WE BELIEVE THAT PICK UP SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT AT JAPANESE CIVIL AIRPORT RATHER THAN US BASE IF AT ALL POSSIBLE. INGERSOLL

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